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1. The uranium specimen (analysis No 1) was found in the new mining site near BERGEN (N 51/K 21), Object No 25 of the Wismuth Corporation.

May 1949

2. "Frischglueck" Mine of the Wismuth Corporation, Object No 1 in JOHANN-GEORGENSTADT (N 51/K 51).

a. Prescribed monthly production quota: 30,000 tons of ores, grade I and II

b. Work force: six thousand men

c. (1) The ore specimen (see analysis No 2) is of grade II and originates from the 66th level.

(2) The ore specimens (see analysis No 3 and 4) found in the same place as the specimen of c (1) were of grade I.

d. Grade I ores are very rare. They were shipped to DRESDEN and then by air to the Soviet Union.  
Grade II ores are dressed in the JOHANN-GEORGENSTADT Ore Washing Plant and shipped by rail to the Soviet Union.

Grade III Ores are dressed in the TANNENBERGSTHAL (N 51/K 31) Ore Washing Plant and shipped by rail to the Soviet Union.

3. 1948 uranium ore output in the Soviet Zone of Germany and in Czechoslovakia.

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3. 1948 Uranium Ore Output in the Soviet Zone of Germany and in Czechoslovakia

January	621.7 tons of blende	1877.3 tons of ores
February	643.8 " "	1652. " "
March	726.2 " "	1911.4 " "
April	814.2 " "	2009.3 " "
May	887. " "	2446.9 " "
June	831.1 " "	2572.9 " "
July	791.6 " "	2643.4 " "
August	804.5 " "	2832.7 " "
September	904.7 " "	3086.2 " "
October	936.1 " "	3243.7 " "
November	893.8 " "	2985.1 " "
December	824.6 " "	2732.5 " "

4. The main output came from the mines in Czechoslovakia:

10 to 20% of uranium ore content in the ore output of the  
 Czechoslovakian mines  
 5 to 12% of uranium ore content in the ore output of the  
 OBERSCHLEMA Mines  
 3 to 6% of uranium ore content in the ore output of the  
 remaining mining districts

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